

Language Arts through Literature 5th-6th grade

Instructor: Denise Tullos

Grade: 5-6th

Fee: \$30/month tuition, plus \$25 copy fee PER semester

Course description: In this fifth and sixth grade Learning Language Through Literature class, we will be reading various books and using them as our source text to study parts of speech, grammar usage, vocabulary, comprehension, and the use of literary devices. The students will learn complete sentence structure, paragraphing, and three and five paragraph essays.

Supplies to purchase: 4- 1½ inch 3 ring binders, Pencil, College ruled loose leaf paper, One highlighter

Books:

The Wonderful Wizard of Oz by L. Frank Baum - ISBN-10-1774261790

Fish in A Tree by Linda Mullay Hunt - ISBN-10 0142426423

Moon Over Manifest by Clare Vanderpool - ISBN 9780375896163

Restart by Gordan Korman - ISBN 1338053809

Homework: There will be about 30 minutes of homework each day to include reading about 10 pages or one chapter, a reading comprehension activity and/or a grammar lesson. **We all learn in different ways so if you child needs any adaptations please contact me to discuss.**

Instructor Background: Denise Tullos received her Bachelors of Science degree in Elementary Education, *Summa Cum Laude*, from the University of North Dakota. She is married to Owen, a wonderful God-fearing and loving husband, who is actively serving as an attorney in the United States Air Force. Before starting a family, Mrs. Tullos taught in Christian schools for six years. She began teaching homeschool in 2005. They have four children ages 25, 22, 15 and 13 who have all attended their family homeschool. Their older two children are away at college pursuing the paths that the Lord has for them. Over the course of 27 years active duty and 12 moves, life has taken them on wonderful adventures all over the world. They have trusted that God is with them wherever they go, that His ways are best, and that His creation is marvelous! When Mrs. Tullos is not teaching, she enjoys reading, studying the Bible (especially women's Bible studies), hiking, and playing with the kids and their Mini Aussie, Chloe Belle.